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STAND BY THE FLAG.



RASHI HUKM.

IMPERIAL RASHI TADABIR.
A. A. O. N. M., S. FOR.
N. S. A.

Nobility of the Mystic Shrine! To all Imperial Deputy Grand Potentates, Illustrious Grand Potentates and Ashraf, under the Domain of the Crescent and the Imperial Ayalat of North and South America, whose Mosque is located in the basis of Chicago, Badiyah, Illinois, that a few rebellious Washington, Badiyah, D. C. and vicinity contemplate forming a Divan, with subordinates and Ashraf to run in opposition to N. S. A., whose Agha is the illustrious John G. Jones, 33, Most Imperial Grand Potentate. Please pay attention to this Rashi-Hukm, Abad, Allah. In obedience to Imperial Decrees, given at our Mosque, basis, Washington, Badiyah, District of Columbia, Rajab 1, Shahr, Muh., 1313 A. H.
D. F. SEVILLE, 33.
Imperial G. C., Recorder.

THE AFRO-AMERICAN LEAGUE.

THE EDITOR'S AND MANAGERS' ADDRESS.

For some time The Bee has taken the front rank in negro journalism in this country and especially this city, and it is evidenced by the indorsements it is receiving from the many organizations.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Afro-American League Association, among other things, Mr. W. Calvin Chase said that the organization was to be congratulated on its wonderful success and its success of its journal, The Bee.

The many thousand Anglo-saxons in this city doing business have given the organ of the association handsome recognition.

I want to, said Mr. Chase, to speak particularly of the Johnson Brothers on Seventh street, who are young men and believe in the races enterprise.

Every advertiser in The Bee, as you will see, are men who believe in aiding the race and this idea that has been advanced that the white merchants in the city are opposed to the negro is all folly.

There is not a man in this city doing business, or otherwise, who is opposed to the negro, indeed, they give and would rather aid the worthy Afro-American than any other class of people.

In our book on Afro-American Employers you will be surprised to read what the white merchants of the city have done for the negro.

At the conclusion of Mr. Chase's address, Manager Cameron spoke in complimentary terms of merchants on whom he had called and assured the Committee that he would give them some startling facts in the souvenir edition of The Bee.

CONFIDENCE IN HIM.

Horton & Bros., proprietors of two fine stores in this city have in their employ Mr. T. H. Cook, an Afro-American, who is engaged as a drummer.

These brothers are young business men of high character, and believe in doing all they can for the negro.

Mr. Cook, from all reports, is a hustler in the northwest, he is known as a man who attends to his business.

All that negroes have to do, is for him to show his capabilities and he will be given a chance with our business men.

WILLIAM SCOTT.

Mr. William Scott, the hatter a 606 D street, n. w., is prepared to repair all kinds of hats at the shortest notice.

FURTHER REDUCED RATE TICKETS TO ATLANTA EXPOSITION VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

In addition to Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week, the Southern Railway will sell ten day tickets from Washington and points in Virginia to Atlanta and return at \$14.00 on each Saturday during the continuance of the Exposition. Tickets on sale at ticket offices, 511 and 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue and Pennsylvania Station, Dec. 7-31.

AGENT wanted at once, for the best selling Hair preparation and Skin Lotion in the country. \$5.00 per day easily made. Address, 1325 6th St. N. W., or call at this office.

Hood's Calendar for 1896 is out, and it is greatly admired. Many pronounce it the "handsomest yet." It consists of the head of a beautiful young woman in an oval panel with a stylish gold frame. The background and pad are tinted in harmonious brown tints. The remarkable growth of the editions of Hood's Calendars from one million copies a few years ago to over thirteen millions for 1896 is only paralleled by the wonderful advance in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is now the only true blood purifier prominently in the public eye.

NOT DISTURBED IN MIND.

DEC. 21, 1895.
EDITOR OF THE BEE: The "Negro Solicitor" in referring to me as being "disturbed in mind about the possibility of Prof. Washington becoming the leader of the Negro race as was his father," is very much mistaken. No word of mine, written or spoken, can be pointed to, that even under the most liberal construction, will bear out any such statement. I have never discussed my father's work in the light of leadership in my life, neither have I drawn any comparisons between him and others. We have leaders enough. Our trouble is that we have no followers. My father was a friend of Booker T. Washington and also a friend of his work, and I am the same, but I do not indorse his Atlanta speech nor some of his subsequent utterances, and that is all there is in my opposition to him.

CHAS. R. DOUGLASS,
318 A street, N. E.,
Washington, D. C.

TUSKEGEE NORMAL AND INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE,
TUSKEGEE, ALA., Dec. 23, 1895.

Tuskegee has received through the kindness of a number of the leading dairies of the North, a donation of a complete set of dairying apparatus to replace the set which we lost in the recent fire of the 23rd ult., at which time, our barn, with contents was burned.

Prof. John W. Hoffman, Ph. D., in charge of the Departments of Agricultural Chemistry and Biology of this school, has resumed his food investigation among the people of the vicinity.

Mrs. Victoria Earle Matthews, of New York City, is visiting Mrs. Booker Washington. Mrs. Matthews is an active worker in the movement for the advancement of colored women. The main object of her visit here is to talk over plans with Mrs. Washington for the National Federation of Afro-American women.

Tuskegee has been honored by a visit from Mr. Wm. J. Schieffelin and also from Mr. McAnany, both of New York City. Mr. Schieffelin is Treasurer of the Civil Service Reform League of that city and Mr. McAnany is Secretary of the same organization. The object of their visit was to perfect plans for the transportation of our exhibits from the Atlanta Exposition to New York City.

ISAAC FISHER.

CITY BRIEVITIES.

The souvenir edition of The Bee will appear in January.

The Police Court reception on Thursday morning was composed of craps-shooters, razor carriers, counterfeiters, and check raisers.

There are Bailey Clubs being organized throughout the city.

There are over 22 Bailey Clubs organized.

There were lots of assaults committed on Christmas day.

Send in your advertisements for the souvenir number of The Bee.

There should be a colored President and Secretary at Howard University.

The Afro-American had better open his eyes as Howard University is fast passing out of his hands.

A SURPRISE.

Miss K. V. Alexander, principal of the Patterson School and her corp. of teachers, surprised their janitor, Mr. S. A. McKinney with great many valuable gifts on Christmas day. Among which was turkeys and eatables of all kinds, wearing apparel and a good sum of money. Mr. McKinney feels very grateful to the ladies for the same.

C. MAURICE SMITH.

Chairman Carter could not appoint a better man as judge, than Mr. C. Maurice Smith. He is a gentleman and a true republican.

Hon. T. T. Allain, of Chicago, formerly of Louisiana, has been appointed mailing clerk in the House of Representatives.

The Bee will have more to say of him in the souvenir edition.

The interesting and instructive Surgical Clinics which were inaugurated and conducted by Dr. Dan'l H. Williams, Surgeon-in-chief of Freedman's Hospital last winter will be resumed again by him this winter, beginning Sunday Jan. 5th.

The colored oyster buyers will confer a favor on The Bee if they will call on the Captain of Alonzo Lee, 11th street wharf.

TOO MUCH CHRISTMAS.



MADAME SISSIERETTA JONES.

BORROWING A TITLE.

Madame Sissieretta Jones sang at the Metropolitan Church Christmas eve night to a large audience.

Some of the best known people in society went to hear her.

Mrs. Jones who has won a reputation as a singer has been styled the "Black Patti" in contradistinction to white Patti, and has been so regarded wherever she has been.

Not satisfied with the title that she had already obtained, she was crowned by a committee of gentlemen, with Hon. B. K. Bruce as spokesman as

QUEEN OF SONG.

a title and honor that has been won

and bestowed upon Miss Flora Batson Berger. There is but one "Queen of Song" in this country among Afro-American singers and that one is the polished "Queen of Song," Miss Flora Batson.

It is unfair to Miss Batson and an imposition on the public.

It is to be regretted that the gentlemen who managed the affair should have allowed themselves to be duped into bestowing a title upon one which justly belongs to another.

The "Queen of Song" was given to Miss Batson by the leading musical and political press of this country and the Queen of England.

The original Queen of Song will be in this city soon.

TELEGRAMS IN BRIEF.

THE NEWS OF THE WORLD FOR A WEEK CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Zeikoun is reported captured by the Turks.

A fire in the Ritchie block in Denver, Colo., did \$158,900 damage.

The case of H. H. Holmes has been appealed to the Supreme Court.

Floods in Central Missouri destroyed property that was worth \$4,000,000.

Mrs. Ida Straube, aged sixty-five, was suffocated in a fire in Chicago.

Seven prisoners escaped from the Louisville (Ky.) jail Christmas day.

A dozen persons had a narrow escape from death in a sweat shop fire in New York City.

Burglars chloroformed Mrs. James Dunn and her sister in bed at Woodbridge, N. J.

Fire destroyed one-half of the business portion of Vienna, Ill. Loss, \$50,000. Incendiarism is suspected.

Miss Ruby Bennett, a Bridgeport heiress, ran away with Frank Katety, a painter, who was trespassing her house.

There is much complaint of the character of the text-books on alcohol and narcotics required by the new school law.

A Christmas tree in Baltimore was trimmed with mice, jugs of milk, raw beef and catnip for invited high-toned cats.

The Supreme Court, General Term, upheld the Payerweather will, which distributes \$5,150,000 among twenty colleges.

Nelson Driggs, the most famous counterfeiter of his time, died at his country home at Dayton, O., aged eighty-six.

Elmer E. Williams, a member of an old Hackensack (N. J.) family, shot and mortally wounded a farm hand named Molon.

Capt. McLaren, of a New York harbor tug, dove into the icy water off the Battery and rescued two men from a capsized yacht.

Mrs. Oliver Kenworthy, an aged woman of Middlebury, Vt., was burned to death by an explosion of kerosene while kindling a fire.

John S. Spaulding, seventy years old, a peddler, residing at Lewis, N. Y., was instantly killed at Elizabethtown by his cart overturning.

James Valetto and George Deshaute, two Italians, living at Mechanicville, N. Y., were killed by a D. & H. train three miles south of that place.

Congressman Black, of New York, has introduced a bill to pension Mrs. Mary Gould Carr, widow of the late Gen. Joseph B. Carr, at \$50 a month.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph F. Johnson, rector of Christ Church, Detroit, Mich., has been elected Bishop of the new Episcopal diocese of Southern California.

Fifty thousand children of the poor received presents from the seven most "Evering World Christmas trees" in New York city, Brooklyn and Jersey City.

While a passenger train on the St. Berrian Railway was running at a high rate of speed the carriage in which Count Golovine was traveling with his wife and two children caught fire. The fire spread so rapidly that the Countess and her two children were unable to escape and burned to death. The Count saved his life by jumping from the train.

Henry J. Newton, a well-known merchant of New York city, was run over and killed by a cable car in that city. Miss Anna Hayden Webster, of Haverhill, Mass., has been arrested upon complaint of her family, who will attempt to have her sent to an insane asylum. The woman, who styles herself "The Bride of Christ," has gained a few believers in that city and it is reported that they will contest the proceedings.

Mrs. Francis L. Higginson, aged forty, wife of the famous Boston banker and a social favorite, has forsaken her home and family, leaving no word behind her, and eloped with James Wheatland Smith, aged twenty-six, a lawyer. They took passage on the steamship Columbia for Genoa. Mrs. Higginson's friends think she is of unsound mind. Mr. Higginson is a multimillionaire, and has cabled his wife \$100,000, remarking: "Why, the poor things will starve."

THE MONROE DOCTRINE.

A Meeting of American Republics Proposed to Adopt It.

Washington, Dec. 24.—Representative Beach, of Ohio, to-day introduced in the House a bill authorizing the President of the United States to invite the governments of the other American republics to appoint plenipotentiaries with full powers to meet in conference in the city of Washington within one year from the approval of the act, for the formal acceptance and declaration of the Monroe doctrine as a principle of international law. The bill names the Secretary of State as the plenipotentiary for the United States and appropriates \$5,000 for the expenses of the conference.

He also introduced a bill providing for the reciprocal interchange of products between the United States and other nations. It reads: "The duties imposed by the tariff laws of the United States shall not apply to food products and raw materials imported from such nations as may make equivalent reciprocal concessions in favor of merchandise imported from the United States. The President of the United States, after the passage of this act, shall, through the proper diplomatic agents of the Government, negotiate commercial arrangements upon such basis with any and all foreign governments. The provisions of this act shall not apply to any article upon which an export tax is imposed."

Railroad Hold-Up in Peru.

Lima, Peru, Dec. 26.—For the first time in Peru a train has been held up. The spikes of the rails were removed on the line between Plazo and Ica, and the train went off the track. As the speed is not great on these railroads, no harm was done. A party of eight highwaymen then appeared, who forced the seventy-four passengers to leave the train and to dispose themselves downward, on the plain to facilitate the search for valuables, after which they broke open trunks and mail bags, hunting for booty. The amount of it secured is not known. The passengers were taken on to Ica by the engine, which had not left the track. The authorities are making every effort to catch the robbers, but up this time have not succeeded.

Shot in a Car.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—John Winehart, an insane man, boarded the Monon express at 8 p. m. yesterday and was followed by Detective McQuaid, who noticed his queer actions. Winehart drew a revolver and shot McQuaid. The latter returned the fire and wounded Winehart. A boy was also shot in the head. Winehart ran through the train shooting at lamps and windows. Passengers dodged under the seats and in the closets. The maniac was subdued at Englewood and arrested.

Henry Nietzsche called on Annie Bernan, at No. 523 Canal street and dismembered himself. She had rejected him.

Cremated in Mid-Air.

Pittsburg, Dec. 24.—Fred Loar, Phil. Bouman, William Mooney and Michael Kelly were roasted alive yesterday at the top of one of Shoenberger's blast furnaces. With three other men they were repairing the furnace seventy-five feet from the ground. Without any warning the bell of the furnace lighted, allowing the flames and deadly gases to shoot to the top. Those not badly burned at the start tried in vain to beat out the fire on the clothes of the others with their bare hands.

Wounded While Looking at the Pistol.

Lambertville, N. J., Dec. 24.—Dennis Leary, of Boycott, Pa., about six miles across the river, in Bucks County, was seriously, if not fatally, wounded yesterday afternoon, while he and P. N. Townsend were examining a revolver. It was accidentally discharged, and the ball entered Leary's stomach.

Theodore N. Lambert, the young gro who shot and killed William G. Kaiser, a baker, while robbing his house in December, 1893, was hanged at Camden, N. J.

John F. Sullivan, a lawyer and just of the peace of Saratoga, N. Y., committed suicide by shooting himself. Drunkenness and dissipation made him desperate. He was twenty-nine years old, and leaves a widow and two children.

RAILWAY COMPANY WINS.

The Bituminous Strike in Philadelphia Brought to a Close.

Philadelphia, Dec. 24.—After lasting seven days, the bituminous strike of the motormen and conductors of the Union Traction Company came to an end last night by the employees accepting the terms of the company. The men struck for a working day of ten hours, \$2 per day and the recognition of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees.

The settlement of the strike is the result of numerous conferences between the executive committee of the strikers and Union Traction Company officials. Propositions and counter propositions were made by each side until the agreement decided upon was finally reached. Throughout all these conferences the Union Traction Company resolutely refused to recognize any one in the negotiations but its own employees, and the officers of the Amalgamated Association were not permitted to be present at any time.

The victory is with the company.

The company has all along publicly stated that it was willing at any time to grant a respectful hearing to any grievances that its own men might have, but that it would recognize no association. The only point partially gained by the men was the unofficial recognition of their association.

On the other points for which they struck they have gained nothing, and are worse off by a week's salary and the occupation of the places of 1,500 of them. These 1,500 new employees will have the preference in the runs of the cars and the old men will have to act as "trippers." All of the 1,500 new men will not remain here, as a majority of them were simply supplied during the strike by contractors. Still some two or three hundred of the new men will remain here permanently.

At a mass meeting of the strikers last night the agreement entered into by their executive committee with the Traction officers was ratified. The conclusion of the strike will be greeted with joy by all classes of citizens.

The Christmas shopping trade was killed, and directly and indirectly it is a fair estimate that the seven days' strike cost the Traction Company, its employees and the merchants of Philadelphia \$2,000,000.

SERGUIS STEPNIK DEAD.

The Great Intellectual Leader of the Nihilists Killed by a Train.

London, Dec. 24.—Sergius Stepnik was killed at Chiswick by a railroad train while crossing the track yesterday.

Sergius Michael Dragomiroff Stepnik—his pseudonym in full—the most feared Nihilist in the world, dies carrying the secret of his identity to the grave. For twenty-five years one of the best-known men in Europe, yet none knew him. He was the recognized leader of the Nihilists, but was not manager of the bomb-throwing campaigns. His efforts were along the line of moral persuasion and appeal to the intellect. His whole life was enshrouded in mystery and none save perhaps a very few, could say whether he ever participated in physical force plots, although often suspected. But it is certain that in later years he looked with less favor upon radical measures, and frequently spoke against it. Yet he did not disguise his sympathy for the slayer of the late Czar.

Alive After Being Hanged.

Dayton, Wash., Dec. 24.—Henry Math, of Pomeroy, came here on Friday and declared that Charles Myers, who was hanged at Pomeroy for murder was still alive. Math said that after the hanging an old man who had taken charge of the body after it had been refused by relatives applied simple remedies and resuscitated the apparently dead man. Since that time Myers has been in hiding. District Attorney Green, of Pomeroy, says that officers of Garfield and Columbia Counties were present when Myers's body was interred in Potter's field. But two other men from Pomeroy have corroborated Math's statement. They assert that they have seen Myers alive within the past week, but refuse to disclose where and under what circumstances. The story has created a sensation and an official investigation will be made.

Contracts for Battle-Ships.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The Board of Naval Bureau Chiefs, after carefully considering for several weeks the bids submitted for building battleships Nos. 5 and 6, has recommended to Secretary Herbert the acceptance of the bid of the Newport News Dry-Dock and Ship-Building Company, of Virginia, to construct both ships on the plans of the Navy Department for \$2,500,000 for each. In the event, however, that the Union Iron Works, of San Francisco, the next lowest bidder, at \$2,740,000, shall scale down their bid so as to leave only a reasonable difference between their figures and the \$2,500,000 asked by the Newport News Company for one ship, it is recommended that each of these companies be awarded the contract for building one vessel.

Yale's Great Wealth.

New Haven, Dec. 24.—A recent estimate of the wealth of Yale University places the sum at \$5,500,000. Most of this is in buildings and real estate, of which Vanderbilt Dormitory is valued at \$1,000,000. The Campus lot is estimated to be worth \$500,000, while the remaining land occupied by outside buildings is placed at half that sum. The buildings of the Scientific School, together with the equipment and surrounding real estate, are valued at \$500,000. Yale Field is rated at \$70,000, and other real estate at various locations at \$100,000.



They Say

The greatest Afro-American journal.

The Bee is the name of the paper.

He laughs best who laughs last.

It is not the man who makes bluffs is always the most successful.

It is the solid man who wins everytime.

Don't fail to read the souvenir number of The Bee.

It will be the greatest number ever issued.

We often cut off our nose to spite our face.

The man who thinks he knows is more ignorant than wise.

The Bee is the exponent of all Anglo-saxons and the leading colored American.

Did you read The Bee last week?

Carson will never be elected from this city to the next convention.

The republican party will not be longer disgraced by ignorance and flim flam leaders.

No man is great who is guilty of doing small things.

Do the people want suffrage in the District of Columbia?

Beware of the indorsement of the Star and Post of ignorant leadership.

If ignorant leadership was a disgrace and a burden to the Southern States, or States that were in rebellion, why is it not a disgrace to the District of Columbia?

Was it not ignorant leadership that impoverished the poor people in this city under the reign of Feather Duster Legislature.

Let every young man come to the front.

The daily press is making fun of intelligent leadership.

What has become of men who believe in pure and intelligent leadership?

No matter what party comes into power Col. J. W. Ross should be the democratic Commissioner.

There will be a clearing out in the Assessor's office under the next administration.

Men are sometimes of the opinion that the government belongs to them.

Public Printer Benedict is a positive man.

Waller is still confined in a French prison.

What has become of Americas boasted bravery?

Can it be that the United States is too cowardly to compel France to relieve Waller?

What does Congress intend to do in the Waller case?

The Morton Club Fair is a great success.

The Christmas edition of the Indianapolis Freeman was a great issue.

Don't be alarmed at the shooting off of guns.

Perry Carson applied for a place under this present democratic administration.

Is he any better than Bailey whose friends presented his name to the President?

Carson further asserted that he would be appointed.

If Col. M. M. Parker deliberately discharged Carson while he was Commissioner, why was it that Carson asked Col. Ross, President of the Board of Commissioners, to give him a place?

Mr. Bailey was not a member of the Republican National Committee.

The success of parties is in the man who leads them.

Many a man is charged with being a fool, who is wiser than the man who charges him.

Booker T. Washington is an apologist.

Don't fail to read our great souvenir edition of The Bee.

It will appear January 1896.

It will contain great hits and points.

SUICIDE RAMPANT.

Great Wave of That Awful Crime in New York.

New York, Dec. 26.—Simultaneous with the arrival of Christmas the metropolis was struck by a suicidal wave which made a strong contrast to the happiness and good cheer supposed to prevail during the holiday season.

Lena Kunzelman, a young married woman, of No. 630 East Eleventh street, attempted suicide shortly after midnight yesterday morning by swallowing a quantity of Paris green, but an ambulance pumped out the poison and announced that the woman was out of danger.

Margaret McDermott, twenty-three years old, residing at No. 25 Hancock place, committed suicide last night by taking carbolic acid.

Robert Glass, forty-three years old, living at No. 22 St. Mark's place, was found dead in bed last night, and a bottle half filled with carbolic acid was lying near by on the floor.

Jacob Dier's dead body was found late yesterday afternoon hanging in a closet of the flat of a dressmaker named Pauline, at No. 67 Douglass street, Brooklyn, where he lived.

Paul Otto, nineteen years old, of No. 9 Cook street, Brooklyn, is dying in the Eastern District Hospital from a self-inflicted bullet wound, because his father, who recently died in Germany, had disinherited him on account of his waywardness.

The wife of John Keenan, of No. 77 Bergen street, Brooklyn, jumped off a pier at Bath Beach yesterday afternoon and drowned herself.

Mary Markham, a servant, was found unconscious in her room at No. 343 East Seventy-third street yesterday morning. She had inhaled illuminating gas, which the police believe was accidentally turned on. The girl died soon after being discovered.

Shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon Emile Krume, of this city, went to his room, and with a 38-calibre revolver discharged a bullet into the right side of his head. He will probably die.

No cause is assigned for the act. Max Raeger, a driver, twenty-four years of age, committed suicide last night by drinking carbolic acid. Raeger had been in the best of spirits all day, and no cause can be ascribed for the act.

ST. LOUIS CHRISTMAS CRIMES.

Six Shooting Affrays and Two Cases of Suicide.

St. Louis, Dec. 26.—Lulu Chapman, colored, was shot twice yesterday by John Brennan, a lad who had received a rifle from Santa Claus.

William Poutell wanted a free drink from Barkeeper Robert Wright and received a bullet in his head.

Lulu Howard and Alice Roberts quarreled and Alice Roberts was fatally stabbed.

Simon Winn interfered with a policeman who was attempting to arrest his brother and was shot by the policeman.

Frank Jackson started a Christmas row in the yard in which he lived. It became general and when it was over Jackson was found with a bullet in his body.

William Kauss was found in Forest Park shot through the right breast. He refused to tell who shot him, saying that he had provoked the quarrel.

William Pughdale became despondent and took morphine, and Harvey Wilson had a rumper with his wife and took carbolic acid.

WAR IS DUE.

According to Lieut.-Col. Henry, of St. Louis—What England Would Do.

St. Louis, Dec. 26.—Lieut.-Col. Guy V. Henry, commander of the Jefferson barracks, talked freely on the possibility of war with England and its results. "It is a historical fact," said Col. Henry, "that the United States has engaged in a war about every twenty-five years, and the time is ripe for another engagement. The only thing that will stave off a conflict is a backdown on the part of England."

"If hostilities should break out England's course would be to attack our seaports. She would station ironclads in front of New York and Boston and shell the cities, but that is not the entire country. As to landing troops in Canada, I venture to say that we could get 1,000,000 men over there inside of thirty days, men, too, who have small powder. We could conquer the whole of Canada and prevent them using that as a base of operations. England might land troops elsewhere, but that is a small part of the business. The principal part of the work is to keep the men supplied with food and ammunition after they have landed."

Started a Mill by Wire.

Gadsden, Ala., Dec. 26.—The Dwight Manufacturing Company, of Chicopee, Mass., started its Southern mill here yesterday by electricity. A young woman at Winona, Minn., touched the button that started the machinery at 1 o'clock. She christened the 15,000-horse power engine Maybienne. The Western Union Telegraph Company arranged the electrical apparatus by a straight circuit of 2,300 miles. The mill began operations yesterday. It is of 30,000 spindle capacity and is the largest in Alabama. The electrical arrangement was fired so as to break a bottle of champagne over the engine at the moment of christening. The mill employs 800 people and 250 cottages are now being completed by the Dwight Company.

Preferred Poison to Pistol.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 26.—The body of a well-dressed middle-aged woman was found in a yard in this city yesterday morning, and has given the police a new mystery to work on. The dead woman was perhaps fifty years old. She was neatly attired in black. By her side lay a small vial which contained a few drops of carbolic acid, and underneath her skirts was a new revolver which contained no cartridges. There is no clue to her identity.

Man and Wife Killed by Gas.

Hummelstown, Pa., Dec. 26.—John H. Baulsbaugh and his wife, who reside near Swatara, were found dead in their rooms yesterday from the effects of coal gas from a defective stovepipe. Mr. Baulsbaugh was a director of the Hummelstown National Bank for many years. An only son survives.

BROTHERS SHOT BROTHERS.

An Overcoat Saved Young Clarence McMurry, but Wilber Plum Was Not So Lucky.

Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 24.—That Clarence McMurry, of Somerset street, is alive is due solely to a heavy overcoat. Yesterday morning as Mr. McMurry was preparing to leave his home for Scott's Press Works, where he is employed, Clarence's little brother Raymond, looking around for mischief, spied an old revolver, which had not been used for years. Going into an adjoining room, he saw his brother with his heavy overcoat on, and thoughtlessly pointed the revolver at him, exclaiming: "Look out, or I'll shoot!"

The revolver went off. The bullet whistled by the head of Mrs. McMurry, who was carrying a lamp and it fell in the excitement. The bullet hit Clarence just below his left shoulder-blade. The wound bled considerably, but Dr. Zlatar says the injury is not dangerous. The boys were close enough together when the bullet was fired it have caused instant death, but for the fortunate protection of the heavy overcoat.

Shoots His Little Brother.

Camden, N. J., Dec. 24.—Nine-year-old George Plum probably fatally shot his brother Wilber, six years old, at their home at Bledeman's Station, just above Camden, last night. The boys' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Plum, had gone out, leaving the youngsters alone in the house. George began playing with his father's breech-loading shotgun, but was greatly displeased to find that it was not loaded. He soon found the shells, and, placing two of them in the gun, pointed the weapon at his brother and pulled the trigger. The shot took effect in the child's head and face.

PHELPS AND LINCOLN.

Invited by the President to Act as Venezuela Commissioners.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The President has tendered places on the Venezuela commission to Edward J. Phelps, of Vermont, ex-Minister to England, and Robert T. Lincoln, of Illinois, ex-Minister to England.

Their acceptances have not been received and the third place on the commission will not be filled until Mr. Phelps and Mr. Lincoln accept. It is said that Mr. Lincoln was Secretary Olney's own selection, and that Chief Justice Fuller, of Illinois, also strongly recommended him, on the ground that a report signed by two former American Ministers to England, both of whom have been warmly praised by the British press for many years, will have much weight in Great Britain. It is urged that public opinion in England cannot ascribe to such men as Phelps and Lincoln any prejudice against England, where they are both very popular.

The third member of the commission is likely to be one of the Associate Justices of the United States Supreme Court, probably either Justice Brewer or Justice Brown. Mr. Harlan, whose selection was strongly urged by several Senators, is not considered by the President.

NEW MEXICAN ARMY RIFLE.

Astonishing Demonstration of Its Force—Old Horses as Targets.

Mexico City, Dec. 26.—The Department of War of the Mexican Government has recently made a most satisfactory test at 200 yards of the new rifle it is proposed to adopt in the Mexican army. A block of hard wood, nearly six feet thick, was penetrated about thirty-nine inches, which is said to exceed the record made by any other gun.

To study the effect of the projectile upon a living body, five disabled artillery horses were stationed at a distance of 1,200 yards from the riflemen. The first horse fell, pierced through the heart and died instantly. The death of the others was almost as rapid. The autopsy showed that the projectile, small though it was, was marvellously effective and must necessarily, by its shape and speed, prove almost instantly fatal. Another singular circumstance noted was that the entrance made by the bullet was so small as to be scarcely perceptible.

SHORES STRAWN WITH WRECKS.

Violent Gale a Continue on British Coast—Deaths in Distress.

London, Dec. 26.—The heavy gale has continued all around the coast of Great Britain and Ireland. Many small wrecks have occurred within sight of persons on shore, and much wreckage stranded tells of further disasters of which the details are not yet known. The greatest anxiety is felt for all vessels known to be at sea in the neighboring waters. Several gallant rescues are reported.

The trawler Sunrise took refuge at Aberdeen in a much-damaged condition. Five of her men were drowned. Friends of the crews of vessels in distress gather on the shores, and there are heartrending scenes among the helpless lookers-on.

In Kingstown Bay the bodies of the crew of the lifeboat which yesterday went to the rescue of an unknown three-masted vessel flying signals of distress, but which capsized before reaching the ship, are coming ashore.

Shot at Wife and Self.

New York, Dec. 26.—In a sudden fit of insanity, the culmination of weeks and weeks of despondency, brought on by family trouble and lack of work, Alfred F. Walker shot his wife, Mary, yesterday afternoon in a reception room of the Kings County Lunatic Asylum, at Flatbush, in which institution she had been confined as a patient since last May. Then putting the pistol to his own head, he fired a second shot, from the effects of which, it is all probability, he will die. Mrs. Walker was not seriously wounded.

Canadians Called to Arms.

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 26.—One of the leading newspapers of this city, expresses the opinion that there has got to be war between Great Britain and the United States. It believes a conflict absolutely unavoidable, and urges Canadians to at once prepare for it, so as to be found ready at the right moment.

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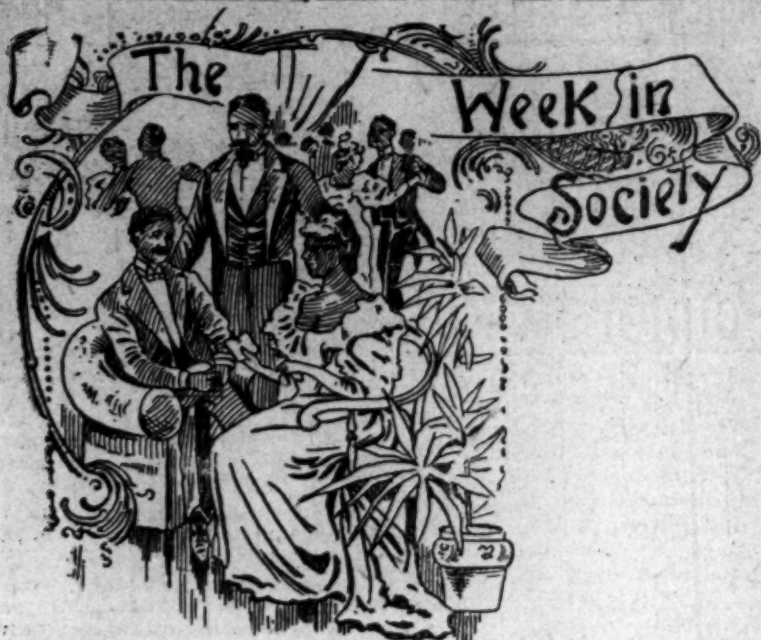
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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Allen are spending the holidays as the guests of Captain Malvin.

Misses K. U. Alexander and Ada C. Hand spent a part of their holidays in Baltimore.

Mr. Charley Brown and Master Robie Meriwether left the city Thursday morning for Baltimore.

Quite a pleasant evening was spent on Christmas at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Vanbrake, 610 T street, n. w. The occasion was the entertainment of a few of their friends. Mrs. Vanbrake is a charming hostess, which added much to the evening's pleasures.

About twenty of Washington's four hundred left the B. and P. depot Christmas night enroute for Atlanta. Among the number were noticed Misses Barriar, Love and Cooper. Miss Lucy Moten left the previous evening for Atlanta.

Miss Maggie W. Lewis had quite a brilliant reception at her residence 426 M street last night. Among the guests present were Dr. and Mrs. Purnell and several of the strangers who are spending the holidays in the city.

Dr. and Mrs. Shadd had a most beautiful House Warming last Thursday at their residence, 901 R street.

The debut of Miss Lovinia Haywood, at the 15th street Presbyterian Church Friday evening was well attended.

Miss Eva A. Chase will visit Atlanta during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Douglass left the city for Atlanta, Ga., on last Saturday.

Hon. Wright Cuney left for his home in Texas last week.

Mr. Forest T. Adams was entertained at dinner Christmas day by Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Robey, 1387 H st., n. e.

Mr. W. H. Lee of No. 18 C st., n. w. will receive New Years day as follows: From 10 a. m. to 1.30 p. m. Friends and public in general from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m. Invited friends and Mason's, you are invited to be present. At which time a concert will be given by the Capital City Band of 38 pieces.

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BOND ISSUE COMING.

President Will Act When the Gold Reserve Falls to \$50,000,000.

New York, Dec. 17.—The withdrawal to-day of \$1,500,000 in gold for shipment leaves the Treasury reserve at \$72,804,766. President Cleveland, seeing that a bond issue must come, has been in personal consultation with members of the syndicate which advised and managed the last issue, according to the World this morning.

The details of a plan for the issue were partially agreed upon, and it is understood that the President will order the issue as soon as the reserve strikes the \$50,000,000 mark. The issue will be for at least \$50,000,000, possibly \$100,000,000. The syndicate will not agree again to try to protect the Treasury reserve by controlling the exchange rate.

It is the general feeling that to-day's shipment will be the last for some time, but it is thought that the President's mark of \$50,000,000 will be reached in the first fortnight of the new year when the bond issue may be expected. A great deal of money will come into the market on January 1 as interest payments. That will make rates easier until the money is absorbed in investment. But as soon as business gets fairly started in the new year gold shipments are likely to be resumed, particularly as a sharp demand for gold in Russia is expected.

A JOKE ON SENOR DE LOME.

Salts, Dust and Ashes Filled His Infernal Machine.

Washington, Dec. 17.—A servant belonging to the household of Senor Dupuy de Lome, the Spanish Minister, found on the doorstep Sunday morning a mysterious box. On one end of which protruded a partly burned fuse. The servant slammed the door and fled inside. The police were notified. Senor Harblson came and inspected the box at long range. Then he approached nearer and gained confidence. Finally he picked it up, contemptuously stuck it under his arm and lugged it down to headquarters.

It was an ordinary pasteboard box, in which flowers had been sent to some customer from a local florist. Inside was a grayish substance. The District chemist, to whom this was given for examination, said it was a cheap grade of salts of ammonia mixed with coal dust and ashes. At the bottom of the box were three pieces of zinc from a worn-out cell battery, fastened together with wire. The fuse was a piece of rolled-up paper. On the box was written: "Cuban freedom—Christmas greeting to Senor De Lome."

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St. Louis, Dec. 17.—Clara Hazel Busch, daughter of Adolphus Busch, the brewer, and Paul von Gontard, head of a big iron foundry in Westphalia, were married in the Church of the Messiah last evening. It was one of the most sumptuous weddings ever recorded in this land.

The Church of the Messiah is an immense edifice, but all its vast interior was hidden under thousands and thousands of dollars' worth of white roses, lilies of the valley and hyacinths, the whole producing an effect of dazzling whiteness. An entire floor of the Southern Hotel, where the reception took place after the wedding, had been repainted, redecorated, regilded and furnished with new carpets and furniture of special design for the wedding guests, who had come from Europe at the invitation and the expense of the bride's parents. The affair must have cost over \$100,000.

Ridden on a Rail.

Brookline, N. H., Dec. 17.—Sumner Burgess was decoyed from his house by Whitecaps last Monday and ridden on a rail some distance out of town and subjected to other indignities. Yesterday four of his assailants, whom he had recognized, paid fines of \$10 each for their fun. They were Charles Wilkens, Frank Melendy, Arthur Bushad and Oscar Elliott. All of these, as well as Burgess, are church members. Burgess recently sought separation from his wife, and since then, it is said, has been paying attention to a woman in a neighboring town. The townspeople are divided on the affair, some believing that Burgess got no more than he deserved, while others say the Whitecaps should be put down.

Another Sugar Company.

Trenton, Dec. 17.—Articles of Incorporation of the United States Sugar Refinery Company were filed yesterday in the office of the Secretary of State. The company is capitalized at \$2,000,000. One-half of the stock is preferred, with 8 per cent. cumulative dividends payable semi-annually. The main offices of the company are to be in Camden, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. The incorporators are Thomas W. Synnot, of Wrentham; John P. Whitney, of Glensboro, and George Burnham, Howard W. Pippin and Charles Benjamin Wilkinson, of Philadelphia.

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SLAUGHTER AT ZEITOUN.

10,000 TURKS, WITH 24 CANNON,
FIGHT SAVAGELY WITH 15,000
ARMENIANS.

Both Sides Lost Frightfully—City Was De-
fended by Armenian Revolutionists and
Attacked by Regular Troops—The Sul-
tan's Ideas of Reform.

Berlin, Dec. 24.—A Constantinople
dispatch to the Frankfort Zeitung re-
ports that there has been fighting at
Zeitoun between the Turkish
troops, who surrounded the city, and
the insurgent Armenians, who defend-
ed it. Both sides are said to have lost
frightfully. The Turks were 10,000
strong, and had twenty-four pieces of
artillery. The Armenians numbered
15,000, but they had no artillery.

Boston, Dec. 24.—A detailed account
of the massacre of Armenians at Bitlis
has reached this city from a correspond-
ent in Eastern Turkey, who writes:

"The outbreak began when the Turks
went to the mosque at noon. Contrary
to custom, the Turkish storekeepers
closed and locked their shops before
going to prayer. This alarmed the Ar-
menians (who had been already threat-
ened with massacre) and they began
to close their shops also. The police
interfered to prevent this. Some Ar-
menians ran away to escape. Then a Turk
named Yuluf fired a gun and the peo-
ple rushed out of the mosque and be-
gan the attack upon the shops. The
massacre which followed was the work
of officials. The troops were called to
the work by the bugle and they were
stopped by the bugle."

Another correspondent, writing from
Constantinople, asserts:

"The massacre, undoubtedly ordered
from the palace, are to be confined,
with some possible exceptions, to the
six provinces embraced in the scheme
of reform, and unless some change is
made in the Sultan's attitude towards
the provinces in this direction it is not
likely that the dreadful experiences
which have fallen upon the provinces
in Armenia will be repeated in those
nearer the capital. It is difficult to un-
derstand fully the long period of in-
action maintained by the European
powers. It is believed here that the
reason for this is that they find it dif-
ficult to agree upon the question of the
partition of the empire, in case it is de-
cided to make an end of the Ottoman
rule. Ever since these unhappy nego-
tiations began hopes of something to
be done in the future have been held
out, but the great effort of the powers
has seemed to be how they could keep
in concert in the business of doing
nothing at all."

Lyon, Mass., Dec. 24.—Several Ar-
menians who came from the same part
of Eastern Turkey, and who are em-
ployed at Ira S. Franklin's morocco
factory in this city, received a cable-
gram yesterday that members of their
families were among the victims of re-
cent massacres.

9,000 INVADE MATANZAS.

Spanish Charge Gomez's Force Eight Times
in a Two Hours Fight

Havana, Dec. 23.—The Dieromen bat-
talion, under Gen. Asturias, with artil-
lery, has attacked Gomez and a force
of 4,000 insurgents. The fight occurred
near the River Colmena and lasted two
hours. The positions controlled by the
insurgents were attacked eight times,
the insurgents fighting with the mach-
ete. The attack of the troops was made
with the bayonet. This, combined with
the artillery fire, proved effective, and
the insurgents fled. The insurgents
left on the field twenty-five killed and
prisoners and seventy wounded. The
canebrake at Aguadilla is burning.

The official reports from the front say
that the forces now invading Matanzas
number 9,000 and that they have car-
ried away many of their dead and
wounded. The loss of the troops is
said to be insignificant.

Official advices from Colon of the en-
gagements with the insurgents report-
ed Saturday as taking place near there
convey the impression that they were
unimportant, and that the insurgents
got the worst of them.

Gen. Navarro, who was reported as
leaving Colon for the relief of the Span-
ish forces, encountered the insurgents
at the Plantation Espana, where he
rescued the detachment of Antilla. He
followed the insurgents upon their re-
treat and overtook them at the Plan-
tation Alava, the canebrake of which was
burning. Here a fierce fight occurred,
and the insurgents were dispersed with
heavy loss. The number of soldiers
killed is reported as seventeen. Gen.
Navarro again went in pursuit, and at
Sanaguales the insurgents attacked
him with great impetuosity. The troops
made a brave defense. Gen. Prat made
a forced march to cut off the insur-
gents' retreat.

The insurgent leader Mirabel has
been killed. Gen. Campos is at Jova-
lanos, about eighteen miles west of
Colon.

Salvador's Washington Protest.

San Salvador, Dec. 23.—The repre-
sentative of this country in Washington
has been instructed to complain to the
State Department that the authorities
at San Francisco have permitted the
outfitting of the boat Golden Breeze
by the friends of Esca, designed as a
filibustering expedition against a
friendly nation, such act being a viola-
tion of the neutrality laws. It is
claimed that the American Government
should have prevented the vessel's leav-
ing San Francisco, and should have
imprisoned Esca and the members of
the Central American Land Company,
who have furnished money to Esca
to carry out his revolutionary plans.

A Coward's Act.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 23.—Prof. T. W.
Saunders, a deaf mute, and for many
years teacher in the State Deaf and
Dumb Asylum, was shot and instantly
killed last night by his nephew, C. R.
Young. Prof. Saunders was to act as
Santa Claus at the Christmas tree giv-
ing up for the amusement of the deaf
and dumb children in the institute, and
called at Mr. Young's house in his
Santa Claus garb. His knock at the
door was heard and Mr. Young, the
only occupant, demanded "who is
there," and receiving no reply, fired
through the door at what he supposed
was a burglar. Prof. Saunders dropped
inside the hall and died in two minutes.

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Rosie: I do not think women should take an active part in politics, for the women who spend their time seeking votes, making speeches, etc., will find it impossible to think out the proper way to perform household duties.

Do what your hands find to do, but don't reach out and take work that does not belong to you, which was never intended for you.

Jealousy: A man who has to support his mother, an aunt and sister is certainly not in a position to marry, and while he is treating you wrong by not proposing, he would certainly do very wrong to cease caring for his helpless relatives.

If your betrothed fails to keep his promises before marriage it is certainly not likely that he will keep them after marriage.

A woman who has to ride a wheel, teach Sunday-school class, or sing in a choir, to let people know that she is living is to be pitied.

A morning wrapper may be worn at breakfast in one's own home, but otherwise is inappropriate. Young ladies can well excuse the wrapper fashion.

Between the age of 30 and 43, whatever the success in life a man or woman can hope for, must be made during that period. They are capable then of doing their best work as it is at its highest value.

A womanly woman is she who is gentle, tender and considerate. A woman with sufficient strength of character to allow neither her head, heart, or home to be 'disturbed' by small things.

The greatest safety in this world for a man is to place his interests in the keeping of the woman who loves him.

Long engagements are never advisable, long period of acquaintance previous to an engagements are far better.

Don't overlook the fact that home training is the first rudiment of self-respect, and to respect yourself means respect to others.

Don't become envious of every one. Read, observe, and think, and if you have any talent, with perseverance, you are certain to succeed.

It is not wise to dictate to others what they should do, if your thoughts are not broad enough to enable you to write a composition on common sense.

Education improves the brain of a narrow-minded person and without mother wit education is but little good.

It is better to excel in one thing than to succeed in everything fairly well as it puts one to a disadvantage among others.

Teach yourself how to forget disagreeable things and acquaint yourself with the art of enjoyment. By so doing you will make others happy.

Cultivate in every way your graces and refinement of feeling, for they are the chief ornaments of true womanhood.

Don't conclude that people are all perfect, because they are all smiles. A person who continues to give is either a fool or a knave.

If you are wise and hope that the future has good things in store for you, you must be particular with whom you associate.

The man who ill treat his mother will have but little respect for other females. Girls don't bother with him.

Don't spend your money on what is considered cheap for it usually means worthless.

Bessie: If you are going to receive on New Year's day, it is not necessary to send out cards to that effect simply publish it in the city papers.

Girls: Take my advice and don't let a man know that you are in need of his company, if so he will certainly slight you.

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THE BEE HIVE DUMPED.

[From the American Star.]

Washington newspaper publishers are getting up in the world. Friend Cooper has removed the Colored American's old hat and put on a regular "Dunlap" headgear, while Brother Chase politely dumped the "old hive" and procured a brand new hive with artistic cells, and of course the Bee is humming. Both papers are beautiful. We like to see it, if we can't.

"BETTER LATE THAN NEVER."

[From the Texas Freeman.]

We are just a trifle late in saying so, but the Washington Bee has made mechanical changes that improve its appearance and reflect credit on the management.

[From the Appeal.]

The Washington Bee recently made considerable improvement in its appearance and enlarged its size to a quarto. Since his late little unpleasantness Chase seems to be "stronger than ever."

[From Newspaperdom.]

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[From the Fourth Estate.]

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[From the Southern Forge.]

The Washington BEE comes to us this week in great shape. It has a new head and twice the size. Brother Chase is going ahead. And if you bother the Bee you'll get "stinged."

[From the Alexandria Leader.]

The Washington BEE has purchased an entire new outfit. The Bee will be issued as eight-page paper. May success attend the Bee.

[From the Evening Star.]

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[From the Western Optic.]

The Washington, D. C., BEE is out in a new dress of type and with its improved make-up now ranks with the foremost Negro newspapers in America. May the Bee improve each shining hour.

[From the Athens Clipper.]

The last issue of the Washington BEE presents a very pleasant appearance to the public. It has eight pages abounding in rich reading matter. Editor Chase has lost none of his old time vigor in wielding the pen. The Clipper congratulates the Bee and hopes it and its editor may live many years to sting the enemies of the race.

[From the Baltimore Standard.]

The Washington BEE comes to us this week in an eight-page form, and much improved every way. Editor Chase is to be congratulated.

[From the Chicago A. M. E. Record.]

The Washington BEE came out last week, considerably improved. It is now a six-column quarto, and has the appearance of property stamped upon all of its departments.

[From the Wide Wake.]

Here's to you editor Chase on the successful appearance of THE BEE. May it continue to sting the wayward.

THE STING OF THE BEE.

[From the Chicago Republican.]

Brother Chase, of the BEE, is still hewing to the line in Washington. He certainly has the courage of his convictions. A recorder of deeds in Washington cuts no figure with Chase.

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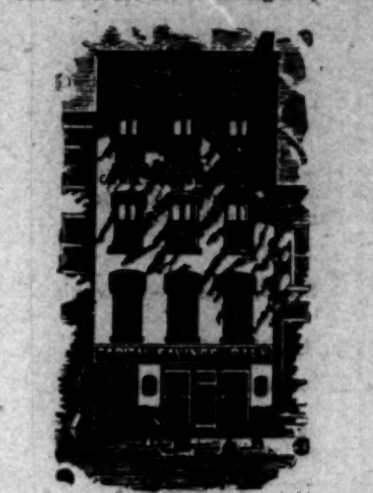
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[From the Southern Forge.]

The Washington BEE comes to us this week in great shape. It has a new head and twice the size. Brother Chase is going ahead. And if you bother the Bee you'll get "stinged."

[From the Alexandria Leader.]

The Washington BEE has purchased an entire new outfit. The Bee will be issued as eight-page paper. May success attend the Bee.

[From the Evening Star.]

ENLARGED TO EIGHT PAGES.

The Washington BEE appeared Saturday, enlarged and substantially improved, as an eight-page paper. It also presented many illustrated features, including portraits of Major Moore, Commissioner Ross and other District officials and prominent citizens. The general tone and character of the Bee sustain the place and name it has made for itself under the editorial management of William Calvin Chase. The leading editorial Saturday pledges support to Gov. McKinley's candidacy for President.

[From the Western Optic.]

The Washington, D. C., BEE is out in a new dress of type and with its improved make-up now ranks with the foremost Negro newspapers in America. May the Bee improve each shining hour.

[From the Athens Clipper.]

The last issue of the Washington BEE presents a very pleasant appearance to the public. It has eight pages abounding in rich reading matter. Editor Chase has lost none of his old time vigor in wielding the pen. The Clipper congratulates the Bee and hopes it and its editor may live many years to sting the enemies of the race.

[From the Baltimore Standard.]

The Washington BEE comes to us this week in an eight-page form, and much improved every way. Editor Chase is to be congratulated.

[From the Chicago A. M. E. Record.]

The Washington BEE came out last week, considerably improved. It is now a six-column quarto, and has the appearance of property stamped upon all of its departments.

[From the Wide Wake.]

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THE STING OF THE BEE.

[From the Chicago Republican.]

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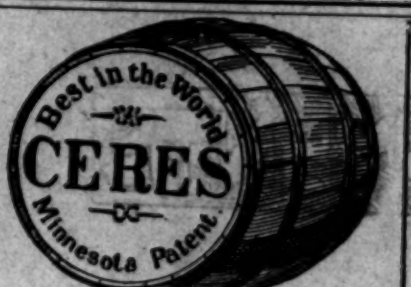
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